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SNOWBOARD BOOT TO A BINDING

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

Sir:

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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In response to the Office Action mailed January 12, 2000, Applicants respectfully request that this application be amended as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

At page 1, line 6, please rewrite the Cross Reference to Related Applications section as follows:

The present application is a continuation-in-part of application serial no. 08/887,530 filed July 3, 1997, and claims the benefit of U.S. provisional applications serial nos. 60/044,715 and 60/044,716 each filed April 18, 1997, and 60/051,703, filed July 3, 1997.

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